



# **Lower Passaic River Restoration Project**

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**Project Delivery Team (PDT) Meeting  
December 13, 2007**



# Agenda

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- Early Action Update
- 17-Mile Study
  - Environmental Dredging Pilot Report
  - Restoration Work Group
  - Vegetation Sampling
  - Cooperating Parties Group (CPG) Sampling Plans
- Open Forum
  - Additional Comments from Stakeholders
  - Announcements on Other Passaic River Activities
  - Next PDT Meeting



# Early Action Update

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- Evaluating taking an action on the sediments of the lower 8 miles, while the comprehensive 17-mile study is on-going.
- 1<sup>st</sup> step: Focused Feasibility Study
  - Draft in June 2007
  - Comments being addressed.



# Early Action Update

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- Two projects related to Empirical Mass Balance Model:
  - Sediment and Water Sampling
  - Sediment Transport Modeling



# Early Action Update

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## **Sampling**

- Surface sediment grabs
  - On tribs and along 17 miles of river
- Water column sampling (on tribs)
- Sediment cores above River Mile 8
- CSO/SWO sampling

## **Modeling**



# 17-Mile Study

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Sampling Plans



# Open Forum

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